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AMENDMENT A UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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SIR:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Examiner's Action dated June 20, 2006, having a shortened statutory period set to expire September 20, 2006. A fee of \$200.00 is believed to be required to cover one additional independent claim. Please charge that fee to IBM CORPORATION'S Deposit Account No. 09-0447. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. However, in the event an extension of time is required, that extension of time is hereby requested. Please charge any fee associated with an extension of time as well as any other fee necessary to further the prosecution of this application to IBM CORPORATION'S Deposit Account No. 09-0447.